

Dear Friends and Family,

3rd Quarter 2025

The past three months of deputation have been going well. Brother Patrick Weimer, the missionary we will be working with, reached out to ask if Alex would be available to make a trip to Iceland to help lead a team to do some work on the church building. It became obvious why we could not schedule meetings for the dates in July. The Lord had already worked it out, and Alex was able to make the trip to Iceland in July.

While in Iceland, Alex helped the church, helped with community outreach, and formed a stronger friendship bond with Brother Weimer. During the community outreach, they passed out around 1,000 tracts with QR codes that take people to videos with the gospel in English and Icelandic and with information about the church. The video that presents the gospel in Icelandic had over 7,500 views! That is HUGE! In Iceland, a video with more than 5,000 views is "trending," which means it is being viewed by a lot of people. They were able to complete around 90 tasks in the church, including repainting the roof (with Iceland's harsh weather this must be done often) and parking lot, hanging dry wall, refinishing windows, running conduit, finishing the exterior border of the building, and various other things.

People in Iceland have carnivals and festivals during the summer to enjoy the weather, similar to our fall festivals here in the states. The church had two carnivals while Alex was there. During these carnivals there were over 80 first time visitors! Many of them were youth. Reaching the children is an opportunity to reach the next generation and train them up in the way of the Lord.

We are currently preparing the paperwork for Iceland residency permits, and we are close to 70% of the needed support. Please help us pray that we will be fully funded and that our residency permits will be approved by the beginning of the year, which will enable us to move to Iceland by the second quarter of 2026.

We are thankful for those who have given funds for our moving expenses. Please pray that God will provide the remaining \$40,000 for moving expenses. The moving funds will help us with expenses to ship our belongings, purchase a vehicle, and rent an apartment. If you would like to help with these expenses, please send the funds to Macedonia World Baptist Missions, Inc. at the address listed at the bottom of this letter and mark as "Moving Expenses - Sub Account 06."

Thank you for your prayers and support. We are honored to partner with you to reach Iceland and the world for Christ.

## **Prayer Requests**

- Gather the remainder of our support
- Have our residency permit approved
- Book the remainder of our calendar with meetings
- Prepare the hearts in Iceland
- Our youngest daughter, Melody's salvation

In Christ,

The Larsons